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	U· S· DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR **OFFICE OF SURFACE MINING** **RECLAMATION AND ENFORCEMENT** **DIRECTIVES SYSTEM**	Subject Number: OPM-5 - 1 Transmittal Number: 712 Date: March 19, 1992

Subject: Delegations of Authority

Approval: [signature] **Title:** Director

1. Purpose. The purpose of this amendment is to add new acronym letters, "FAA," for a new official, the "Division of Compliance Management Audit Appeals Officer" to section 3.c.(1), and to add a new subsection (ff) to section 3.c.(26) describing the responsibilities of the audit appeal function.

2. Definitions. None

3. Policy/Procedures. The following changes are made to the Delegations of Authority:

   - add to section 3.c.(1) Title and Organizational Designations under the heading Assistant Director for Finance and Accounting the acronym letters "FAA" for the "Division of Compliance Management Audit Appeals Officer."

     FAA - Division of Compliance Management Audit Appeals Officer

   - add a new paragraph to section 3.c.(26) Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act (SMCRA) Delegations to be desginated 3.c.(26)(ff) and will read as follows:

     (ff) Approve or disapprove the right of an operator (auditee) to administratively appeal the results of a fee compliance audit and make the final determination for any appeal that is granted and reviewed. (FCM and FAA)

4. Reporting Requirements. None

5. References. OSM Directive OPM-5, Delegations of Authority

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6. Effect on other Documents. Amends OSM Directive OPM-5, Delegations of Authority, to add a new official designation and a new paragraph.

7. Effective Date. Upon Issuance

8. Contact. Chief, Division of Compliance Management